

CHURCHES.

PROTESTANT CHURCH. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening. Pastor, J. A. M. Gordon.

METHODIST CHURCH. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

ROMAN CATHOLIC. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

PROFESSIONAL.

DR. J. A. CAMPBELL.
Physician & Surgeon.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

W. F. MILLAR, D.D.S.
Dentist.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

J. A. JACKSON, B.A.
Advocate, Solicitor,
Conveyancer.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

REAL ESTATE.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

W. PULVILANK.
Notary Public.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

CHIPMAN AVENUE.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

PONOKA POSTOFFICE.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

Village.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

Secretary Eugene H. H.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

Secretary School Board.
Office at 1100 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. alternate every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Thursday evenings. Pastor, H. E. Gordon.

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Sortie from Port Arthur.

VERY SEVERE FIGHTING.

London, October 6.—It is currently reported here that the Port Arthur fleet have made a sortie, and a great fight is taking place in the harbour. There are no details yet.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 5.—The fleet has at last received General Stead's official report of the desperate four days' assault of the besiegers upon Port Arthur from Sept. 15 to 20, from which it appears that the official report from Chefoo was by no means exaggerated.

The Japanese displayed frenzied activity in the last few days, and succeeded in capturing two redoubts guarding the water works. They prepared for the assault by a general bombardment, and then launched their attack simultaneously from the north and west. Night and day they fought under a cover of a continual bombardment from their siege guns, and finally reached the water on the north side, but only after the defenses there were completely demolished by fire from the west.

The Japanese efforts were directed chiefly against the commanding positions on a high mountain, which they called Pigon Bay, slightly south of Fort Elise. The mountain is 500 feet high, and the possession would have given the Japanese a tremendous advantage against the chain of their defenses. The carnage there was terrible, and culminated on Sept. 22 when the Japanese succeeded in reaching and occupying the Russian armed shelter trenches, which they expected undoubtedly to storm the summit. During the night Lieut. Pogorsky, of the 10th, at the head of a detachment of volunteers, descended upon the trenches and blew it up with bombs, and causing the besiegers to retire, leaving the mountain side strewn with dead. The Japanese resumed the bombardment of the city and outer works, and began to construct siege approaches everywhere, getting nearer from which to launch their next assault.

Gen. Stead says the gallantry of the garrison beyond praise, and that they will hold out to the last drop of blood.

Food is very scarce in the fortress. Eggs are 25 cents a piece, and the garrison is reduced to live on donkey meat.

U.S.A. Postmaster General Dead.

General O. Payne, Postmaster General of the United States, a John Birch member of the National Republican Committee, died at Washington on October 4, aged 60 years.

Destitution among the Alaskan Indians.

Washington, October 6.—For the third consecutive winter extreme destitution prevails among the Alaskan Indians. Government help is absolutely necessary to prevent them from starvation and emigration. Ten thousand rations have been shipped to Copper Creek for distribution to destitute Indians for sale to those unable to obtain food otherwise.

T. J. DURKIN

Can Make you a Good Suit for 18 or 20 Dollars That will protect you from the Cold.

IN FURNISHINGS.

The W. G. & R. Shirt takes the lead at our STORE ON CHIPMAN AVENUE.

Announcement

Having taken over the Harness and Saddlery Business of DODD BROS., I invite the patronage of the people of this district in my line. My Stock of Blankets and Harness will be complete at all times.

REPAIR WORK A SPECIALTY.

A. Chapman.

CROP REPORTS ENCOURAGING.

Flattering Reports of C. P. R. Crop Bulletin for Alberta.

The C. P. R. crop bulletin for this week is most encouraging for all parts of Alberta. Frost has done little damage. The details for the section north of Calgary are:

Crossfield—Wheat 35 bushels, oats 70, barley 40. No frost threatening by end of October.

Carstairs—Threshing just commenced, harvest in a month or so. Didsbury—Wheat 35 bushels, oats 65, barley 40. Threshing well under way. Finished in October.

Olds—Wheat 30 bushels, oats 60, barley 40. Threshing just started, will be finished by end of October.

Innisfail—All grain yield about 75 bushels per acre. Threshing well under way, will be finished November 15.

Penhold—Oats 50 bushels, wheat 35, barley 40. Threshing finished in about six weeks.

Red Deer—Wheat 50 bushels, oats 75. Threshing by end of two months.

Blackfoot—Wheat 30 bushels, oats 40, barley 40. Threshing will be completed about end of Nov.

Lacombe—Wheat 30 bushels, oats 40, barley 40. Threshing will be finished about Christmas.

Ponoka—Wheat 40 bushels, oats 70. Threshing not yet over for two months.

Wetaskiwin—Wheat 30 bushels, oats 40, barley 40. Threshing general yet on account of wet weather, will be over about Dec. 1.

St. Louis, October 5.—Canada received the grand prize for agriculture, the grand prize for the farming display the gold medal for spring and fall wheat, and all the principal prizes for Siorthorns and Ayrshires.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION IN PONOKA.

The annual convention of the teachers of central Alberta—Inspector Boyce's division—will be held in Ponoka on October 20 and 21. The local teachers are arranging for the entertainment of the visiting teachers and will do their best to give their guests a good impression of our enterprising town and people. This is to be the first meeting of the kind yet held here and the residents should co-operate with the ladies of the village school who are responsible for bringing it here to make it a pleasant one.

OFFICERS OF THE CHALLAM CONVICTED.

San Francisco, Oct. 5.—The U. S. supervising inspector John Birch, in charge today approved the decision of local inspectors Byron, Whitney, and Robt. Turner, of the case of the steamship Chalam which sank between Port Townsend and Victoria last winter with great loss of life. Capt. George Robertson is adjudged guilty of gross negligence and his license suspended for twelve months, while the license of chief engineer Scott A. Delanev is revoked for gross negligence and incompetence. Investigation showed that her load light had been defective and that the engineer had not reported it for fear of being dismissed by the company.

Ponoka a Town.

As we go to press J. A. Jackson, advocate, informs us that he has received advice from the Department of Public Works, Regina, that Ponoka village has been incorporated into a town municipality from and after the 15th inst. F. J. Parry has been appointed returning officer for the first election.

CHAMBERLAIN TO VISIT CANADA.

Montreal, Oct. 3.—Dr. Laphorte Smith, who has just returned from England, says, "Mr. Chamberlain is anxious that Canada will extend an invitation to him to speak in the Dominion, and I learned from most credible sources that he would be pleased to accept an invitation to speak in Montreal, and Toronto as soon as possible, and he would be prepared to give two addresses."

COMING TO CANADA.

Vien, Oct. 6.—A dispatch from Fiume reports a great increase in the number of emigrants going to America. There are 3,000 awaiting passage. The authorities are unable to find accommodations for them and help from the interior has been sent for.

CANADA AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

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TELEPHONES FOR C. & E. TOWNS.

The Calgary district manager of the Bell Telephone Company has announced the plan to establish exchanges in several towns along the north line. Lacombe and Olds will be the first places where these facilities will be arranged.

PONOKA PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Monthly Report for September.

Room 1.
Lena Behrens, Julius White, David Behrens.

Standard IV.
Cona Behrens, Bonnie Ray, Pearl Safford, Clara Lucas.

Standard III.—Su.
Bella Farnum, Scott Courser, Bruce Patterson, Victor H.

No. enrolled for September 54.
Average attendance for month 28.
A. V. JERRELL.

Room 2.
Standard IV.—Su.
Harry Nove, Susan Barnes, Mable Barnes, Bertha Goodman.

Standard II.—Su.
Jeanette Fairley, Elinor West, Myra Viers.

Standard II.—Su.
Herttha Gierke, Lillian Sayers, Raymond Moody.

No. enrolled for September 56.
Average attendance for month 48.
E. L. STEPHENS.

Room 3.
Standard IV.—Su.
Minnie Bernstein, Mable West, Fern Williams, Luther Larson.

Standard I.—Su.
Daniel Radel, Altha Bush, Fred Steers, David Dykstra.

No. enrolled for September 52.
Average attendance for month 47.
O. M. WATERS.

MONTHLY SCHOOL REPORT

Of Brooks School for September.

Standard IV.—
Ethel Clark, Edna Matern, George Limbertz.

Standard III.—
Ray Shrove, Janet Dick, Agnes Dick, Amos Streib, Jessie Dick, Constance Mail, Lisa, Lucy Matern, Jessie Melbrion, Edith Clark.

Standard II.—
Arthur Puskevitz, Arthur J'agnard, Edith Cunningham.

Standard II.—Ju.
Larkin Puskevitz, Robbie Dick.

Standard I.—
Peter Puskevitz, MARGARET L. DERRY.

CLOTHING

30 Per Cent Off

Womens' Rubbers, 25c per Pair
6 Pounds Cooking Apples
FOR 25 CENTS.

* Orange Meat *

The New Breakfast Cereal now on Sale
New Canned Peas and Beans
Tartan Brand. Now on Sale.

* Free *

For Church Socials and School
Entertainments
We will supply you at the TEA you require Free of Charge.

Don't forget to supply yourself with
Stanfield's All Wool
Unshrinkable Underwear.

POSITIVELY THE BEST ON MARKET FOR
MEN AND BOYS.

FAIRLEY'S

The Leading Store for Reliable Goods
Ponoka and Innisfail.

The Busy Store on the Busy Corner.

BIG

Clothing Sale

Don't Miss it!

We have decided to place before the Farmers and General Public our entire stock of Clothing. We have the

Newest and most Up-to-
Date Stock

Made by the Largest and Best
Manufacturer in Canada,
And we guarantee to give you satisfaction
or Money refunded.

For the next 30 days we will allow
20 Per Cent Discount
ON ALL CLOTHING

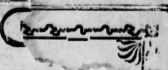
This is a rare chance for you to get your Winter Suit at a LOW FIGURE, so this Discount brings them down very low.

Our stock in all other lines is very complete.

IN UNDERWEAR . .
We are showing a magnificent range.
OUR STOCK OF
Mitts and Gloves
CANT BE BEAT IN ALBERTA.

These were selected very carefully, well bought, and it will pay you to have them.
We make it pay you to deal with us.

F. E. ALGAR & CO.
The Busy Store on the Busy Corner.



A full stock of assessment tax notices at this office at current prices. Also warrants and receipts printed to order.

Tax Notice.
Notice is hereby given that all taxes due to Local Improvement District No. 22 & 4, must be paid on or before 1st day of November, 1904.
W. J. MILNE,
Sec. Treas.

Barry.
Stayed from my place three miles southeast of town on or about Sept. 22 & 4, must be paid on or before 1st day of November, 1904.
W. J. MILNE,
Sec. Treas.

District Manager Wanted.
Permanent position; rapid advancement; Salary and Expense; full instructions free of charge; clean, desirable business.
The J. L. NICHOLS Co., Limited,
Toronto.
(Mention this paper.)

For Sale.
3 spring stags, 1 cow; 1 good brood mare with colt.
P. S. GOSWAMER,
2 miles east of Aker.

Tax Notice.
Notice is hereby given that all taxes due to the Havel Hill S. D. must be paid on or before the 1st day of Oct. 1904. The same may be paid at the Bank of J. Armstrong & Co.
C. F. TAYLOR,
Sec. Treas.

A Real Estate Snag.
A Half Section of Land adjoining the Town of Ponoka, with buildings to the value of \$1000. All Fenced and Cross Fenced. Forty acres under cultivation, and in first condition. If sold at once the price will be very low.
SLATER & REID.
Notice.

All parties owing school tax to the Ponoka School district No. 18, have urgently requested to pay the same at once, or same will be collected by distress.
By order of the Board,
J. A. HARRISON,
Treasurer.

Notice.
Is hereby given that the undersigned has taken account due him for service of his stallions "King" for the season of 1903 in the hands of the Canadian Bank of Commerce for collection. All parties owing any of these accounts will please call and settle same at once.
E. E. WILCOCK.

Notice.
To whom it may concern:
Having sold our harness and saddle business in Ponoka to A. Chapman, of Weyburn, Ont., we hereby give notice that all accounts due or owing have been placed in the hands of J. A. Jackson Esq., for collection and the same must be paid at once.
DORIS ROSS.

Strayed.
From my place three quarters of a mile west of Morningside, on Sunday, Sept. 11, one large red and white cow branded on right hind leg with bell, dehorned. Also one small red cow, dehorned, short tail, branded July 11 on right hind leg. These cows are milking at the present time.
Chas. Avery,
Morningside.

Notice.
Public notice is hereby given that the auction sale of School Lands to be held in Western Alberta, beginning on the 28th September and ending on the 27th October, have been postponed until further notice.
By order,
P. G. KEVIE,
Secretary.
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, 16th September, 1904.

Auction Sale.
I will have a public Auction in Ponoka on
SATURDAY, Oct. 15, 1904.
At which time there will be sold a number of horses and cattle, machinery, household goods, and etc. Any parties having anything they desire to sell on that date are requested to leave a list with me or at the HERALD office not later than Oct. 8, so as to allow advertising by bills.
W. N. SHAFIT,
Auctioneer.

Wanted.
Quickly, few persons to represent long established wholesale business retail merchants and agents. Local territories of few counties. \$15 salary and expenses paid weekly. Repay money advanced. Commission extra. Permanent engagement. Business successful. Previous experience not essential. Enclose self addressed "Travel" Address. Superintendant, Travel 225 Dearborn St. Chicago.

Wild Rose Creamery.

I wish to announce to the people of the Ponoka District that the Wild Rose Creamery is now in running order, and will receive Cream every

Tuesday and Friday.

I charge a cent per pound for making the Butter, and pay Patrons the balance of selling price, and will fill position none to guarantee

Patrons

15 Cents per Pound
and October 1st.

PATRONAGE SOLICITED.
W. G. Brodie, Prop.

Dentistry

H. G. HOARE
D.D.S.
Will be at his office in Ponoka the first Friday and Saturday and the 3rd Friday and Saturday of each month.

A-1 WORK GUARANTEED.

New Goods

We now have a very complete stock of entirely new
FALL & WINTER GOODS
Which we will sell at surprisingly
LOW PRICES

A large range of all sorts and sizes of
Rubbers, Felts, and Overshoes.
MITS, GLOVES, AND CAPS.
Strep lined Coats, Fur Coats & Collars
Blankets and Underwear.

Which we are selling at very small margin.

See the Goods, Compare the Prices,
and be convinced that they are right.

We are sole Agents in this district for the
Price Reel Wool Brand
Of Heavy Pure Wool Underwear direct
from the Factory.

Which we are enabled to sell at a price lower than has ever
been heard of in the Northwest.
Satisfaction guaranteed with all Goods or Money refunded.

ANDREW REID,

Donald Avenue. Next Door West of Post Office.

JOTTINGS
OF
TOWN AND
DISTRICT.

Local News.

Come to the fair.
The Ponoka saw mill started
sawing again last Monday.

An invitation dance is being
given in Reid's hall tonight.

Mrs. A. Shary was a passenger to
Morningside on Tuesday's train.

I. B. Loewen enjoyed several
days visit last week with his cousin,
P. Loewen, of Kansas, who was
looking over Alberta.

L. E. Viers left Tuesday for
Wetaskiwin, where he expects to
find employment. He will prob-
ably move his family there in a
short time.

A very enjoyable social dance
was held in the Hotel, Leduc, on
Tuesday evening, when a number
of the young folks of town and
district were present.

Richard Blake was made a happy
man Saturday by the arrival of
his wife and her five children from
Bruce county Ontario. They have
taken rooms in the Dick residence
in the north part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Reed returned
last Friday from their honeymoon
trip to Edmonton, and are now
comfortably domiciled in their
new home on Donald avenue.

T. J. Durkin has a large range
of winter clothing to select from,
and is prepared to receive orders
for made-to-measure suits at the
very low figure of from 18 to 20
dollars.

Some of the citizens of town
were startled Monday evening by
the cry of fire. It proved nothing
more serious than the burning of
the chimney in R. K. Allan's
residence.

Rev. J. E. Pengelly left over-
land Monday for his former field
of labor at Dabur, where he
will spend a couple of weeks. On
Wednesday he was killed to per-
form a marriage ceremony at that
place.

Jacob Beck has been delivering
a fine lot of cabbage to Algar &
Co. this week, who are shipping
them over a ton in weight and they
are certainly a very choice lot of heads
— large and solid — and speak loud-
ly of the productiveness of this
part of Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Taylor left
Tuesday for North Yakima, Wash.,
where they expect to stay for three
months. During the past couple
of years Mrs. Taylor has been in
poor health, and it is hoped the
time may prove beneficial. Their
friends trust she may find the relief
she seeks and return greatly ben-
efited.

The new millinery store of Mrs.
F. M. E. is fitted to the roof with
all kinds of fashionable ladies' fur
nappings, and the stock is still in-
creasing every few days. It is the
intention of the proprietor to
keep on hand a full line of
ladies' wear, so that there will be
no necessity of sending to
outside houses for anything in this
line.

Ponoka fair October 18.
J. H. Webster, the Morningside
hardware merchant, was a Ponoka
visitor Tuesday.

Thos. White will preach in Reid's
hall next Sunday night in the
presence of J. E. Pengelly.

Oscar Duggan, of Chateaufort,
left Monday for Astrim Ohio,
where he will attend school.

"Dad," Gledy, Ponoka's whole-
sale shoe merchant visited his family
at Red Deer a couple of days this
week.

J. B. Holden, of Leduc, has been
appointed returning officer for the
constituency at the forthcoming
election.

P. Talbot, M.L.A., is home from
Regina to look after his interests
in this constituency during the
campaign.

A. L. Fairfield, our genial
clerk, is enjoying a visit from
his father, Thomas Fairfield, of
Forestburg, North Dakota.

Elder J. W. Boynton came home
Sunday from a trip east of town,
where the Adventists have been
holding meetings with encourag-
ing success.

The regular quarterly Commu-
nion service will be observed in the
Presbyterian church Sunday,
October 18th, at 11 a.m. Members
and friends are specially invited to
attend.

The "Bosy Store on the Bosy
Corner" — Algar & Co. — is to be
busied the coming winter by a
hefty clearance, manufactured by
the Clara Bros., of Preston Ont.
It has been installed this week by
F. W. Tracy, the expert from the
store man in R. K. Allan's hardware
store.

October, which has heretofore
become to be known as one of the
pleasantest months of the year,
breaks away from its old custom
and was ushered in with a few days
of pretty rough weather. Monday
night about two inches of snow
fell, accompanied by a very light
frost.

Jas. and Mike Donovan were
down from the Blindman the first
of the week. In a letter just
received from their father, Mr.
Charles Mix County, S.D., who
spent a couple of weeks here a
short time ago, he stated that his
health had not been so good since
returning home as it was while
in the city. The boys expect their father
to move here in the future.

At the residence of F. E. Drum-
mond, four miles southeast of town
last Friday night occurred one of
the most successful rural dances
reported in the district. The spec-
ious attendance afforded ample dan-
cing space for the large number
present, while the genial hospital-
ity of Mr. and Mrs. Drummond
added largely to the enjoyment of
the evening. The music furnished by
Miss "Christie" and her assistants was
all that could be desired by the
trippers of the light fantastic toe.
Several couples from town attended.

The Herald and Inter Ocean

for only \$1.25.
Mrs. Perry, of the Nebraska
settlement, left Monday for a visit
to Vancouver.

W. J. Milne made a business
trip to Lacombe Wednesday.
He was accompanied by L. E. Man-
ning.

Mrs. G. D. Ross, of Toronto,
spent a few days here last week,
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. M.
Loewen, whose neighbor she was in
Ontario.

A. M. Barkwell, the genial re-
presentative of the W. J. (Gage &
Co., Toronto, was interviewing the
purchasers of stationery and print-
ers' supplies in town Tuesday.

A Chapman, the new proprietor
of the Ponoka harness shop, makes
his announcement to the public in
this issue. Mr. Chapman is a
business maker of many years ex-
perience and makes a specialty of
all kinds of repairing.

R. W. McKinnell's at this week
has the attention of his toilet soap,
of which he keeps a fine assortment.
As in drugs, the stock of druggists
sundries and the lines usually car-
ried by a store of this kind will be
found complete at his store.

The sale of the goods of Robt.
Ferguson and Mrs. M. M. Covel,
in the Nebraska settlement, was
well attended and good prices were
received by Auctioneer Shaft. The
proceeds of the sale amounted to a
little over \$1200. The families will
soon leave for B. C.

The infant girl of Mr. and Mrs.
Jasper Seifert, who has been se-
riously ill for the past three or four
weeks, is still in a critical condition,
and some fears are entertained as to
her recovery. Dr. Campbell, the
attending physician, has been in
attendance lately and has been doing
everything possible to relieve the
little one's precarious condition.

W. H. Spackman and R. K. Allan,
our enterprising hardware mer-
chants, are preparing for the ap-
proach of the winter season by hav-
ing on display a fine stock of
goods from the smallest bath room
heater to the largest box heater or
coal burner. There is no need of
anyone in the Ponoka district look-
ing farther for anything in this
line.

The prize lists of the Ponoka
fair are ready for distribution and
one interested may secure one at
the office of the secretary, J. A.
Harris. The Herald is doing the
printing and we take a certain
amount of pride in the job. It is
an earnest prediction of the kind
yet turned out in Ponoka and we
believe will bear comparison with
any similar job printed on the line.

R. O. Harrington, of Gretna Neb.,
the man who purchased Louis
Fleming's land there was in Ponoka
the first of the week. Mr. Harring-
ton is an extensive holder of Al-
berta real estate having purchased
four sections in the High River
district. He was most favorably
impressed with this part of the
district and had he not invested
quicker he would be in the south
west looking for land.

Joseph Stretch is to return to
Ponoka. At least this is the
current report on apparently good
authority. It will be remembered
that he left here last spring for
Minnesota, but not finding that
country as attractive as he hoped,
has decided to return here where
he spent several years. Mr. Stretch
was one of the earliest settlers
of the Ponoka district, and made
a splendid success while
here.

C. D. Algar, at the Baptist con-
vention at Okotoks, last week was
made treasurer of the Alberta
Baptist society. Mr. Algar claims
the distinction of being the first
member of the Baptist church in
the Northwest Territories. He
was the first member of that church
in Calgary, and was instrumental
in the establishment of the first
Baptist church in that city. Later
he enjoyed these distinctions with
respect to Edmonton.

As Smith, of Oakland, Cal., has
been a guest at the home of Rev.
J. W. Boynton the past week. Mr.
Smith unfortunately is a very bad
cripple, his lower limbs being
badly deformed while he has not a
finger on either hand. Notwith-
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TO OUR PATRONS.

It cannot be said of the Herald
that it has been our custom, as with
some papers, of continually dunn-
ing its patrons through its columns.
But there come times in the life of
every business when it is necessary
to have money. This is the case
with this paper at the present time
and we trust our subscribers and
patrons will take this as a kind re-
quest to come in and settle their
accounts for subscription, advertis-
ing, job work, etc.

A. Shary returned Friday from
Armstrong, B. C. He invests in a
tract of land while there.

Donald McCrae, for some months
clerk in F. E. Algar & Co.'s store
some time ago, is back at his old
stand where he greets the cus-
tomers in the same pleasant and
genial manner as of yore.

The Herald and Chicago Inter
Ocean if taken at once will be sent
one year for \$1.25. This should
prove a popular offer to all who
want to get a good paper for the
States.

M. M. Jewell, who has been act-
ing as bar tender in the New Al-
berta, has decided to return to his
farm at Buffalo Lake and has
moved his family out before cold
weather set in.

E. K. Bullock brought to this
office the last of the week a fine
sample of potatoes. There were
eleven of them which had grown in
one hill, and which aggregated a
weight of eighteen pounds. They
were all of even size and of smooth
form.

A meeting of the directors of the
Ponoka agricultural society was
held last Friday. The business
was preliminary arrangements for
the fair, which the directors now
have well in hand, and with good
weather the fair promises to be
very creditable for the initial one.

In the list of names of direc-
tors of the Ponoka Agricultural Society
in the prize list just issued the
name of A. W. Perry was involun-
tarily omitted. It is not known
just who was at fault for the over-
sight but it was likely due to the
error in this issue. We are quite
willing to share our part of the
responsibility.

R. S. Sago has had on exhibi-
tion in his window during the past
week some fine samples of fruit
sent here by Fisher & Sago, of
Armstrong, B. C. Any parties in-
terested in the "Land of the Big
Red Apple" should write Fisher &
Sago whose ad appears in this
paper.

The subject of Rev. H. E. Gor-
don's sermon next Sunday night
will be "The Insurance Company
to which I belong." During the
past few Tuesday evenings when
he has spoken on announced sub-
jects, the church has held large
congregations, and the people have
been greatly interested in his able
discourses.

John Dickan was a welcome
caller on Saturday to have the paper
sent to a couple of brothers in the
States. Mr. Dickan sowed 20 acres
of alfalfa last spring with timothy,
and last week threshed a little over
600 bushels of number one grain.
Being so near with grain it was nec-
essarily very thin and this certainly
a good yield under those circum-
stances.

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ians.

H. E. Manning drove to Morn-

ingside Saturday.
A good many strangers have
looking over the district this week.

The Red Deer fall fair and ex-
hibition has been postponed till
October 19 and 20.

J. H. Myer and family returned
Tuesday from Lloyminster
where Henry has been dealing in
horses the past couple of months.

The Wild Rose creamery man-
ufactured 8221 pounds of butter last
Friday September. This means that
the sum of \$915.99 was distributed
in this district.

B. L. Dyer has enjoyed a visit
the past week from his brother,
George Dyer, and A. Patterson,
of Calgary, Ont. They contemplate
leaving here.

This morning's sun came out in
its real autumn brightness and
after a spell of quite bad weather
we are again promised regular
Alberta fall weather.

The Ladies Aid of the Presby-
terian church will hold a sale of
goods in the church on Thursday
next, September 28, at 8:00 o'clock.
Refreshments served. Admission
10 cents.

The anniversary services of the
Presbyterian church were ar-
ranged for Sunday, November 27,
Special music is being arranged
and several outside speakers will
be present, among them Rev. Clark
of Calgary, and Rev. Ferguson of
Dabur. The services possess a
considerable talent as an eloquent
ist as well as an orator and will de-
liver a number of recitations at the
social which will be held on the
Monday night after the anniver-
sary services.

L. Lanning and M. Kimmy
of Chateaufort, were down Mon-
day. The Pigeon Creek school dis-
trict, of which they are trustees, is
experiencing some difficulty in
getting their school started, and
they are saying some unpleasant
things about the C.P.R. land com-
pany. It appears that at the time
of the selection of the railroad land
by the company those sections of
their township usually taken by
the railway company were not ac-
cepted by them and have not been
shown on the maps as railroad land.
Yet the government does not allow
this land to be homesteaded or pur-
chased. These circumstances have
been the means of hindering set-
tlement in a very large part of their
school district and with the limited
number of rate payers they have,
taxation would be too high. It is
understood to support a school.
These statements are made only
upon the authority of the board
who state that they have investi-
gated the matter. It true, it cer-
tainly appears that the Pigeon
Creek school district is in a posi-
tion altogether unusual in the
Northwest Territories, and one
which should be given careful at-
tention. There are over twenty
pupils in the district who should
surely be given school privileges.

Liberal Reform Meetings.
P. Talbot, Liberal candidate for
M. P., will address meetings in the
Ponoka district as follows:
Morningside October 16, 2:00 p.m.
Ponoka October 17, 7:30 p.m.
Estevan October 18, 7:30 p.m.
The public cordially invited. The
opposition invited to speak.

Liberal-Conservative Meetings.
O. Bush, Liberal Conservative
candidate, will address meetings in
the Ponoka district as follows:
Friday Bank October 12, 8:00 p.m.
Brooks " 13, 7:30 p.m.
Asker " 14, 7:30 p.m.
Nebraska " 15, 8:30 p.m.
Concord " 16, 7:30 p.m.
A cordial invitation is extended to
the public. Opposition candidate
or his representative invited to speak.

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Are of Finest Materials, and
of Moderate Price.

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Drug Store.

Others do!

Why not You

Buy where you get Quality
at the
.. LOWEST PRICES ..

WE SELL
Dry Goods . . .
Hats, Caps, Gloves,
— UNDERWEAR —
Boots, Shoes, & Rubbers.
GROCERIES.

Special for coming week
Prunes - - 5' lbs. for 25c
Dried Peaches, 3 lbs. for 25c

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Personal to the Ladies.

Men like to see their Wives or Sweet-
hearts dressed in the BEST, and we
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Millinery, Shirt Waists, Cloaks,
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